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Presents the

PARLOW STRING QUARTET

with

SIR ERNEST MacMILLAN

Commissioned Composer

JOHN WEINZWEIG

BESSBOROUGH HALL

Monday, April 21st, 1947

8.30 p.m.

THE PARLOW STRING QUARTET

KATHLEEN PARLOW

This internationally-known violinist should be especially appreciated by Canadians as she was born in Calgary. Before she was fourteen, she played as guest-artist with the London (England) Symphony Orchestra and then began studies under Leopold Auer, the master of Heifetz, Zimbalist and Elman. During the International Festival of 1907, held in Ostend, she met with immediate success and toured all over the world, appearing before the rulers of many great nations. One of her most notable engagements was a series of sixteen concerts with the Boston Symphony Orchestra. Kathleen Parlow has been equally successful as a teacher and has brought a wealth of experience to the growing number of accomplished violinists, passing through her hands at the Toronto Conservatory of Music.

SAMUEL HERSENHOREN

Well known in radio circles, Samuel Hersenhoren is second violin in the Quartet. Not only a violinist, he has been guest conductor at the Toronto Symphony Orchestra "Pop" Concerts, the Toronto Philharmonic, of which he was concert-master. He is also the founder-conductor of the New World Chamber Orchestra.

STANLEY SOLOMON

Violist of the Quartet, Stanley Solomon was born in Toronto, and studied under Luigi von Kunitz, Vino Harisay and Elie Spivak, winning a scholarship at the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia. He played under Serge Koussevitsky at the Berkshire Musical Festival, was first violist with the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra and at the Columbia Music Festival, which position he holds today with the Toronto Symphony Orchestra.

ISAAC MAMMOTT

Cellist of the Quartet, he was born on the boundaries of Poland and Russia, and made his home a few years ago in Winnipeg. Since coming to Toronto he has been first cellist with the Toronto Symphony Orchestra and faculty member of the Toronto Conservatory of Music. He has been featured on numerous radio programs and was guest-artists for the C.B.C's "Distinguished Artist Series" over the national network.

SIR ERNEST MACMILLAN.

Conductor of the Toronto Symphony Orchestra since 1931, born in Mimico, Ontario. At the age of ten, he appeared as concert organist, at thirteen became Associate of the Royal College of Organists and four years later became a Fellow of that body, receiving the Lafontaine Prize for the highest marks awarded. In the same year, he graduated from Oxford University as Bachelor of Music, was Knighted in 1935 by His Majesty, the late King George V, for "Services to Music in Canada." Sir Ernest toured Australia in 1945 as guest conductor and in 1946 conducted a series of concerts of the Orquestra Sinfonica Brasileira in Rio de Janeiro. Since his appointment as conductor of the Toronto Symphony, he has presented programs of wide interest and has introduced many new works to Canadian audiences.

JOHN WEINZWEIG

Born in Toronto in 1913, one of the best known of the younger Canadian Composers. At present he teaches composition at the Toronto Conservatory of Music. His works include a symphony, orchestral compositions, chamber music, piano and special music for radio and film. One of his compositions for violin and piano was performed recently in New York and Toronto by Harry Adaskin.

PROGRAMME

GOD SAVE THE KING.

QUARTET—A MINOR—OPUS 51, No. 2 - - - - - Brahms

Allegro non troppo

Andante moderato

Quasi minuetto—moderato

Finale—Allegro non assai

QUARTET—No. 2 - - - - - John Weinzwieg

Fairly fast

Quietly restrained

Gay—with deliberate tempo

INTERMISSION

QUINTET FOR PIANO AND STRINGS—F Minor - - - César Franck

Molto moderato quasi lento—Allegro

Lento con molto sentimento

Allegro non troppo—ma con fuoco

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